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THE following Addreſs of the Noblemen, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders, of the County of Norfolk, has been preſented to the King by Sir Edward Aſtley, Bart. and Thomas William Coke, Eſq; Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid County, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Noblemen, Gentlemen, Clergy, and Freeholders of the County of Norfolk, at a Meeting held in the Shire-Houſe, on the Sixth Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty-two, purſuant to Notice for that Purpoſe given by the High Sheriff of the ſaid County.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's moſt dutiful and loyal Subjects, beg Leave to approach your Royal Perſon, with the moſt humble Aſſurances of Attachment to your Royal Family and Government, and at the ſame Time to intreat your Majeſty to accept our unfeigned Thanks for having graciouſly complied with the Wiſhes, and relieved the Apprehenſions of your People, by that Change which your Majeſty, in your Wiſdom, has thought proper to make in your Majeſty's Councils.

We acknowledge, with the warmeſt Gratitude, your Majeſty's benevolent Intentions to relieve your Subjects from the Calamities incident to a lingering and diſaſtrous War, by intruſting the Adminiſtration of Public Affairs to Men poſſeſſed of the Confidence of the People, and who have ever conſidered a Reconciliation with the revolted Colonies of America as eſſential to the Welfare and Proſperity of Great Britain.

We cannot but feel truly ſenſible of the late gracious Inſtance of your Majeſty's benign Attention to the preſent Diſtreſſes of the Nation, in recommending Œconomy through the ſeveral Branches of the Public Expenditure, a moſt valuable Teſtimony of your Majeſty's Favor, and a Confidence repoſed in your faithful Subjects, by which your Majeſty muſt ever reign in the Hearts of your moſt grateful People.

Signed by Order of the Meeting,

Henry Hobart, Chairman.

The following Addreſs of the Citizens of Peterborough, has been preſented to the King by Richard Benyon, Eſq; one of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid City, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Citizens of Peterborough, in their Town Hall aſſembled.

Moſt Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majeſty's dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Citizens of Peterborough, beg Leave to expreſs our warmeſt Thanks to your Majeſty for having graciouſly complied with the Wiſhes of you People.

We do alſo thank your Majeſty, for recommending to your Parliament, a Plan of Œconomy through all the Branches of public Expenditure; and for taking into your Royal Conſideration, a Reform and Regulation of your Civil Liſt.

Warmed with Gratitude for theſe your gracious Intentions, we are ready to ſtand to, maintain and defend, your Royal Perſon and Family, your Crown and Dignity, to the utmoſt of our Power; not doubting but the diſtinguiſhed Abilities of your Majeſty's Miniſters, will reſtore Dignity to your Crown, Unity to your People, and promote the Intereſt and Proſperity of all your Dominions.

[Signed by 295 Names.]

The following Addreſs of the Electors of the Ancient Town and Borough of Southwark, has been preſented to the King by Nathaniel Polhill, Eſq; and Sir Richard Hotham, Knt. Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Addreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Electors of the Ancient Town and Borough of Southwark, aſſembled at a General Meeting in the Town Hall.

SIRE,

WE your Majeſty's faithful and loyal Subjects, the Electors of the Ancient Town and Borough of Southwark, beg Leave to addreſs your Majeſty on the preſent important Occaſion, to teſtify our moſt ſincere and zealous Attachment to your Royal Perſon, Family, and Government, and humbly to expreſs our warmeſt Thanks to your Majeſty for having complied with the Wiſhes of your People, in making a Change in your Majeſty's Councils, and taking thoſe Perſons into your Confidence who are reſpected by their Country for their Conſtitutional Principles and diſtinguiſhed Abilities, and whoſe Endeavours, we truſt, with the Bleſſings of Providence, will reſtore Peace to the Empire, Dignity to your Majeſty's Crown, Union among your People, and promote the Intereſt and Proſperity of all your Dominions.

Signed by Order of the Meeting,

Nath. Polhill, Chairman.

The following Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Brethren, and Capital Burgeſſes of the Borough of Derby, has been preſented to the King by the Right Honourable Lord John Cavendiſh, One of the Repreſentatives in Parliament for the ſaid Borough, being introduced by the Lord of His Majeſty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which dreſs His Majeſty was pleaſed to receive very graciouſly.

To the KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty,

The humble Addreſs of the Mayor, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Brethren, and Capital Burgeſſes of your Majeſty's ancient Borough of Derby in

in the County of Derby, in Common-Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Brethren, and Capital-Burgesses of the ancient Borough of Derby, in Common-Council assembled, humbly presume to approach your Throne with Sentiments of the most sincere Loyalty and Attachment to your Royal Person and Family.

Your Majesty's Generosity and Greatness of Mind, in expressing a Desire to both Houses of Parliament, that the Burthens of the Subject may be alleviated, by reducing, within just and due Bounds, the Public Expenditure, and the noble Example your Majesty wishes to set to your Subjects, by adopting a Plan of Œconomy in a Reform of the Civil Establishment, calls for our warmest Acknowledgements, and gives us the fullest Assurance of your Majesty's paternal Care.

We also beg Leave to express our deep Sense of your Majesty's gracious Attention to the Interests of your People, in calling to your Councils, at this important Crisis, those Persons on whose constitutional Principles and distinguished Abililities we place the most perfect Reliance.

From our Confidence in the Integrity of such Men, we found a reasonable Hope of a favorable Change of Measures; and we now flatter ourselves, that the late Success of your Fleet (of which we sincerely congratulate your Majesty) is a Presage of the happy Consequences that will accrue from the Wisdom of your Majesty's Arrangements, and the vigorous Conduct of upright Ministers, supported by the unanimous Voice of the People.

Such powerful Exertions cannot fail, under the Auspices of Heaven, to restore Superiority and Lustre to your Majesty's Arms, promote the real Dignity of the Crown, and the Happiness of all your faithful Subjects.

Given under Our Common Seal, at the Guildhall in the Borough aforesaid, this Fourth Day of May, in the Twenty-second Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor and Burgesses of the Town of Nottingham has been presented to the King by Robert Smith and Daniel Parker Coke, Esquires, Representatives in Parliament for the said Town, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty,

The humble Address of the Mayor and Burgesses of the Town of Nottingham, in Common Council assembled.

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor and Burgesses of your ancient and loyal Corporation of Nottingham, beg Leave to approach your Royal Person at this Time of general Satisfaction, which has spread itself in your Majesty's Dominions, and to join with the Rest of your Majesty's Subjects in presenting our sincere and grateful Thanks to your Majesty for the Testimony of paternal Regard for your People, which your Majesty has lately shewn in condescending to meet their Wishes, by the Appointment of Ministers, so much distinguished for their Abilities and Integrity, to surround your Throne and aid your Councils at so critical and important a Juncture. So distinguished a Mark of your Majesty's Wisdom and Affection for your People in such a Choice, and at the same Time signifying your gracious Desire that a Reformation may be made in your Civil Establishment, cannot but make a grateful and lasting Impression on the Minds of your Majesty's Subjects, and is to them a happy Presage of a general National Œconomy and Reform, and must tend to inspire them with the strongest Confidence, that your Majesty has at Heart the true Happiness and Prosperity of your People, and that your Councils will be always directed by the most prudential Means to those Ends, and make them zealously and chearfully contribute, to the utmost of their Power, to the strengthening your Majesty's Government, and to support all those wise Measures that may be adopted for the bringing about a safe and honourable Peace, and unite all your Majesty's Subjects in a perfect Bond of Affection towards your Majesty, your Illustrious House, and to each other, and be the Means of fixing those Blessings on a permanent and solid Foundation.

That your Majesty's Councils may be always aided by able and faithful Ministers, and that your Majesty may long reign over a free and loyal People, and continually behold your own Happiness and that of all your Subjects daily encreasing and adding fresh Satisfaction to your Royal Mind, and Honour and Glory to your Reign, is the sincere and earnest Desire of us your Majesty's most faithful and loyal Subjects.

Given under our Common Seal, at the Guildhall of the Town of Nottingham, this Tenth Day of May, One thousand seven hundred and eighty-two.

Robert Seagrave, Town Clerk.

The following Address of the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Court of Assistants, and Body, of the Artillery Company of the City of London, has been presented to the King by Colonel Sir Watkin Lewes, Knt. Lieutenant-Colonel Alderman Newnham, Major Alderman Turner, and Captain Henry Smith, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bed-chamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

To the KING's Most Excellent Majesty.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the President, Vice-President, Treasurer, Court of Assistants, and Body of your Majesty' Artillery Company of the City of London, in General Court assembled, humbly beg leave to approach your Majesty with Sentiments of the truest Zeal for the Honor of the Crown, and warmest Affection and Attachment to your Majesty's Royal Person and Family.

We lament the Necessity of a longer Continuance of the present War; we abhor the ambitious and hostile Designs of the inveterate Enemies of our Country; we feel ourselves called upon at this awful Period, as loyal and Dutiful Subjects, to declare to your Majesty our Readiness to assist in the Defence of the Person of our August Sovereign, our Liberties, and Laws.

Our Zeal and Attachment to our King and Constitution, would induce us to make the most unlimited Offers of Service, if we were not compelled to represent to your Majesty, that our various Avocations in civil Life require a constant Residence in and near this City; and therefore we humbly hope your Majesty will be pleased to accept of our most strenuous and active Exertions, as a military Body without Pay, in such Manner as your Majesty shall be graciously pleased to command, for the Defence of the Metropolis and its Environs.

Signed by Order of Court,

Armoury-House, *Peter Longes*, Clerk.
May 14, 1782.

St. James's, May 21.

The King has been pleased to grant to William Smith, Esq; the Office of Treasurer and Pay-Master of His Majesty's Ordnance.

By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION,

For apprehending Thomas Lewin, Esquire.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS, on the First Day of this Instant May, Complaint being made to the House of Commons, that Lewin, Esquire, (late Secretary

cretary to the Council at Madras, at the Time John Whitehill, Eſquire, was Governor of that Preſidency) having been ordered by the Committee of Secrecy, appointed to enquire into the Cauſes of the War that now ſubſiſts in the Carnatic, and of the preſent Condition of the Britiſh Poſſeſſions in thoſe Parts, to attend the ſaid Committee on the preceding Day, and alſo on the Firſt Day of this Inſtant May, had neglected ſo to do; it was thereupon ordered by the ſaid Houſe of Commons, that Thomas Lewin, Eſquire, ſhould be taken into Cuſtody of the Serjeant at Arms attending the ſaid Houſe of Commons: And whereas the ſaid Serjeant at Arms having been called upon to give an Account of what had been done in relation to the taking the ſaid Thomas Lewin, Eſquire, and the Meſſenger who was ſent in Search of him being called in and examined, and having acquainted the Houſe that he had withdrawn himſelf and was not taken, an humble Addreſs has been preſented to Us by the Knights Citizens, and Burgeſſes, and the Commiſſioners for Shires and Burghs, in Parliament aſſembled, that We would be graciouſly pleaſed to iſſue Our Royal Proclamation for apprehending the ſaid Thomas Lewin, with a Promiſe of a Reward for the ſame; We have thought fit, by and with the Advice of Our Privy Council, to iſſue this Our Royal Proclamation, hereby requiring and commanding all Our loving Subjects whatſoever, to diſcover and apprehend, or cauſe the ſaid Thomas Lewin to be diſcovered and apprehended, and to carry him before ſome of Our Juſtices of the Peace, or Chief Magiſtrates of the County, Town, or Place, where he ſhall be apprehended, who are reſpectively required to ſecure the ſaid Thomas Lewin, and thereof give ſpeedy Notice to One of Our Principal Secretaries of State, to the End he may be forthcoming to be dealt withal and proceeded againſt according to Law.—And for the Prevention of an Eſcape of the ſaid Thomas Lewin into Parts beyond Seas, We do require and command all Our Officers of the Cuſtoms, and other Our Officers and Subjects of and in Our reſpective Ports, and Maritime Towns and Places within Our Kingdom of Great Britain, that they and every of them, in their reſpective Places and Stations, be careful and diligent in the Examination of all Perſons that ſhall paſs or endeavour to paſs beyond the Seas, and if they ſhall diſcover the ſaid Thomas Lewin, then to cauſe him to be apprehended and ſecured, and to give Notice thereof as aforeſaid: And We do hereby ſtrictly charge and command all Our loving Subjects, as they will anſwer the contrary at their Perils, that they do not any ways conceal, but do diſcover him the ſaid Thomas Lewin, to the End he may be ſecured: And for the Encouragement of all Perſons to be diligent and careful, in endeavouring to diſcover and apprehend the ſaid Thomas Lewin, We do hereby further declare, that whoſoever ſhall diſcover and apprehend the ſaid Thomas Lewin, and ſhall bring him the ſaid Thomas Lewin before ſome Juſtice of the Peace, or Chief Magiſtrate as aforeſaid, ſhall have and receive, as a Reward for the diſcovering, apprehending, and bringing the ſaid Thomas Lewin before ſuch Juſtice of the Peace, or Chief Magiſtrate as aforeſaid, the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds, which Our Commiſſioners of Our Treaſury are hereby required and directed to pay accordingly.

Given at Our Court at St. James's, the Seventeenth Day of May, One thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty-two, in the Twenty-ſecond Year of Our Reign.

GOD ſave the KING.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 17th of *May*, 1782,

PRESENT,

The KING's Moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majeſty's Order in Council of the 15th of February laſt, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coaſtwiſe, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire on the 23d Day of this Inſtant May: And whereas it is judged expedient that the ſaid Prohibition ſhould be continued for ſome Time longer, except in thoſe Caſes where (for the Benefit and Advantage of Trade, and for the Uſe and Defence of Ships trading to Foreign Parts, and of the Tranſports and Victualling Veſſels employed in His Majeſty's Service) His Majeſty, by His ſeveral Orders in Council of the 13th and 27th of October, and of the 6th and 22d of November, 1775, of the 5th and 19th of February, and the 23d of Auguſt and 25th of September, 1776, of the 16th of April, the 13th of Auguſt, and the 3d and 10th of October, 1777, of the 19th of June, the 7th and 26th of Auguſt, and the 10th of September, 1778, and of the 17th of May, 1780, has thought proper to permit and allow the Exportation of, and carrying Coaſtwiſe, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, Arms and Ammunition, under certain Conditions and Reſtrictions mentioned in the ſaid Orders: His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no Perſon or Perſons whoſoever (except the Maſter-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majeſty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Three Months, to commence from the ſaid 23d Day of this Inſtant May, preſume to tranſport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coaſtwiſe, any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ſhip or lade any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Veſſel, in order to tranſporting the ſame beyond the Seas, or carrying the ſame Coaſtwiſe, except in the Caſes comprized within the aforementioned Orders in Council, without Leave or Permiſſion in that Behalf firſt obtained from His Majeſty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and ſuffering the reſpective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act paſſed in the 19th Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, entituled, "An Act "to impower His Majeſty to prohibit the Ex"portation of Saltpetre, and to enforce the Law "for empowering His Majeſty to prohibit the "Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of "Arms and Ammunition; and alſo to impower "His Majeſty to reſtrain the carrying Coaſtwiſe "of Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms "or Ammunition."—And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Maſter-General of the Ordnance, and His Majeſty's Secretary at War, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein, as to them may reſpectively appertain.

W. Faulkner.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 24, 1782.

WHEREAS it is ſuppoſed that ſeveral Perſons, who have heretofore been appointed Gentlemen of His Majeſty's Moſt Honourable Privy Chamber in Ordinary, may, ſince the laſt Return in June, 1777, be dead or removed from their Places of Reſidence; That it may appear to the Lord Chamberlain of His Majeſty's Houſhold, who of them are remaining alive, his Grace is pleaſed to direct, that all ſuch do, on or before the 31ſt Day of July, 1782, tranſmit to Charles Herbert, Eſq; Secretary, at the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, St. James's, an Account of their preſent Places of Reſidence.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 21, 1782.

SUCH Ladies as deſire to dance Minuets at the Ball which is to be at St. James's on Tueſday the 4th of June next, are requeſted to ſend their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this Office

In the County of Derby, in Common-Council assembled.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

WE, your Majesty's most dutiful and loyal Subjects, the Mayor, Aldermen, Town-Clerk, Brethren, and Capital Burgesses of the ancient Borough of Derby, in Common-Council assembled, humbly presume to approach your Throne with Sentiments of the most sincere Loyalty and Attachment to your Royal Person and Family.

Your Majesty's Generosity and Greatness of Mind, in expressing a Desire to both Houses of Parliament, that the Burthens of the Subject may be alleviated, by reducing, within just and due Bounds, the Public Expenditure, and the noble Example your Majesty wishes to set to your Subjects, by adopting a Plan of Œconomy in a Reform of the Civil Establishment, calls for our warmest Acknowledgements, and gives us the fullest Assurance of your Majesty's paternal Care.

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Given under Our Common Seal, at the Guildhall in the Borough aforesaid, this Fourth Day of May, in the Twenty-second Year of your Majesty's Reign.

The following Address of the Mayor and Burgesses of the Town of Nottingham has been presented to the King by Robert Smith and Daniel Parker Coke, Esquires, Representatives in Parliament for the said Town, being introduced by the Lord of His Majesty's Bedchamber in Waiting: Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

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Signed by Order of Court,

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GEORGE R.

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Given at Our Court at St. James's, the Seventeenth Day of May, One thousand seven hundred and eighty-two, in the Twenty-second Year of Our Reign.

GOD save the KING.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 17th of *May*, 1782,

PRESENT,

The KING's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS the Time limited by His Majesty's Order in Council of the 15th of February last, for prohibiting the Exporting out of this Kingdom, or carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, will expire on the 23d Day of this Instant May: And whereas it is judged expedient that the said Prohibition should be continued for some Time longer, except in those Cases where (for the Benefit and Advantage of Trade, and for the Use and Defence of Ships trading to Foreign Parts, and of the Transports and Victualling Vessels employed in His Majesty's Service) His Majesty, by His several Orders in Council of the 13th and 27th of October, and of the 6th and 22d of November, 1775, of the 5th and 19th of February, and the 23d of August and 25th of September, 1776, of the 16th of April, the 13th of August, and the 3d and 10th of October, 1777, of the 19th of June, the 7th and 26th of August, and the 10th of September, 1778, and of the 17th of May, 1780, has thought proper to permit and allow the Exportation of, and carrying Coastwise, Gunpowder, Saltpetre, Arms and Ammunition, under certain Conditions and Restrictions mentioned in the said Orders: His Majesty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy Council, hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that no Person or Persons whosoever (except the Master-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majesty's Service) do, at any Time during the Space of Three Months, to commence from the said 23d Day of this Instant May, presume to transport into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coastwise, any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ship or take any Gunpowder, Saltpetre, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Vessel, in order to transporting the same beyond the Seas, or carrying the same Coastwise, except in the Cases comprized within the aforementioned Orders in Council, without Leave or Permission in that Behalf first obtained from His Majesty or His Privy Council, upon Pain of incurring and suffering the respective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act passed in the 19th Year of His late Majesty's Reign, entituled, "An Act "to impower His Majesty to prohibit the Exportation of Saltpetre, and to enforce the Law "for empowering His Majesty to prohibit the "Exportation of Gunpowder, or any Sort of "Arms and Ammunition; and also to impower "His Majesty to restrain the carrying Coastwise "of Saltpetre, Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms "or Ammunition."—And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, the Commissioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Master-General of the Ordnance, and His Majesty's Secretary at War, are to give the necessary Directions herein, as to them may respectively appertain.

W. Fawkener.

Lord Chamberlain's-Office, April 24, 1782.

WHEREAS it is supposed that several Persons, who have heretofore been appointed Gentlemen of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Chamber in Ordinary, may, since the last Return in June, 1777, be dead or removed from their Places of Residence; That it may appear to the Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household, who of them are remaining alive, his Grace is pleased to direct, that all such do, on or before the 31st Day of July, 1782, transmit to Charles Herbert, Esq; Secretary, at the Lord Chamberlain's-Office, St. James's, an Account of their present Places of Residence.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 21, 1782.

SUCH Ladies as desire to dance Minuets at the Ball which is to be at St. James's on Tuesday the 4th of June next, are requested to send their Names and Rank, in Writing, to this

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Office, on or before Saturday the 1st of June, and to send for their Tickets the Monday following, between the Hours of Ten in the Morning and Two in the Afternoon.

N. B. No Attendance will be given at this Office on the Day of the Ball, after Two o'Clock.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, May 21, 1782.

TO prevent the Inconveniencies which have arisen from the Space before Their Majesties, which is allotted for Minuet Dancing, being exceedingly crowded, it is requested that those Ladies only who mean to dance will send for Dancers Tickets, and sit in those Places, as the Seats have been found too few to accommodate the Dancers.

Admiralty-Office, May 14, 1782.

WHEREAS many Seamen have, from Time to Time, inconsiderately deserted His Majesty's Service, by leaving the Ships they belonged to, as they could find Opportunity for so doing, or, having been put on Shore Sick from His Majesty's Ships, either into Hospitals or Sick Quarters, have made so ill a Return to the Care taken for their Healths as to desert from His Majesty's Service, when so far recovered as to be able to withdraw themselves from the said Hospitals or Sick Quarters; for which Crimes they have incurred the Loss of their Wages, and are punishable with Death by a Court Martial: But my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty being willing to impute such Desertion into a Rashness which most of them soon repent of, and believing that they would return to their Ships, were it not from Apprehensions of Punishment; in order therefore to remove such Apprehensions, and encourage them to return to their Duty, their Lordships do hereby declare, That if any Persons who have deserted as aforesaid shall, on or before the Thirtieth Day of June next, return to the Ships to which they did belong, or, in case those Ships are gone Abroad, enter themselves on Board some other of His Majesty's Ships, they shall not be punished in any Manner whatsoever, on Account of the Crimes they have committed in withdrawing themselves from His Majesty's Service as aforesaid, *excepting such as have been guilty of Mutiny, or any other notorious Crimes*: And, as a further Encouragement, their Lordships are pleased to declare, that such as shall so return shall have their R[s] taken off, and be paid their Wages for the Ships from which they respectively deserted; but their Lordships do also think fit to declare, that all Persons under the above-mentioned Circumstances, who do not make a proper Use of the Indulgence hereby offered them, will be strictly sought after, and, (in case they are apprehended) brought to a Court Martial, and treated as the Law directs.

Ph. Stephens.

Admiralty-Office, May 14, 1782.

WHEREAS there are at this Time several Deserters from the different Divisions of His Majesty's Marine Forces, who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of Pardon, and that such Instance of Clemency would have due Influence on their future Behaviour; My Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, in order to encourage them to return to their Duty, and to remove their Apprehensions of the Punishment due to their Crime, do hereby give Notice, that such of the said Deserters as shall surrender themselves at any of the aforesaid Divisions at Portsmouth, Plymouth, or Chatham, or to any Recruiting Party of the Marines in Great Britain or Ireland, on or before the 30th Day of June next, will receive His Majesty's Free Pardon.

And whereas several of the said Deserters have been apprehended and are now in Goal or Military Custody, their Lordships do hereby further give Notice, that His Majesty's Free Pardon will be extended to them also, of which they are to have the Benefit upon their Arrival at any of the Marine Head-Quarters.

And any Marine who may desert after this Public Notice of His Majesty's most gracious Intentions, will not be included in the above Pardon, but be proceeded against with the utmost Severity.

Ph. Stephens.

War-Office, April 29, 1782.

HIS Majesty has been pleased to order, that over and above the usual Bounty Money of THREE GUINEAS allowed to Recruits at the Time of Inlisting, every Man who, on or after the 13th Day of May next, shall inlist with any Regular Corps of Infantry, shall receive, on his Arrival at the Quarters of the Regiment, and on being approved by the Commanding Officer thereof, the further Sum of THREE GUINEAS: And each Soldier, so hereafter inlisted and approved, shall receive another GUINEA at the End of Twelve Months from the Time of his being approved; and One more GUINEA at the End of the Second Twelve Months, if he continue so long in the Service without deserting.

The Men who shall inlist with the Recruiting Parties of Regiments on Foreign Stations, or with any of the Independent Companies, are to be entitled to receive the First additional Bounty of THREE GUINEAS on their Arrival at Chatham, or such other Place in Great Britain as they shall be ordered to; and on their being approved there by the Inspector-General of the Recruiting Service, or such other Officer as may be appointed for that Purpose.

By His Majesty's Command,
THO. TOWNSHEND.

War-Office, May 4, 1782.

WHEREAS it has been represented to the King, That there are at this Time many DESERTERS from the Regular Corps in His Majesty's Land Service, who might be induced to return to their Duty by an Offer of His Majesty's Gracious PARDON; and that such an Instance of His Royal Clemency would have a due Influence on their future Behaviour: His Majesty is pleased to grant His Free PARDON to all DESERTERS from His Regular Land Forces, who shall surrender themselves before the 17th Day of June next, either to the Regiments to which they belong, or to some other Regular Corps in His Majesty's Land Service, or to any Additional Company or Recruiting Party thereof in Great-Britain or Ireland.

Such Deserters, if able-bodied Men and fit for Service, shall be attested in the Corps to which they surrender; and not be liable to be claimed by any other Corps to which they may formerly have belonged.

And whereas many of the said Deserters have enlisted in other Corps, and are now serving therein; His Majesty is graciously pleased to extend to such Deserters the Benefit of this Pardon, and to direct that they shall continue to serve in the Corps wherein they now are, not being Militia; and they shall not be liable to be claimed by that in which they formerly served.

And whereas several of the said Deserters have been apprehended, and are now in Goal, or in Regimental Custody; His Majesty is likewise pleased to grant them His Free Pardon, of which they are to have the Benefit upon their Arrival at their respective Regiments, or upon their being attested in some other Regular Corps or Recruiting Party.

Any Soldier who may desert, after these His Majesty's most Gracious Intentions are made Public, shall not be included in the above Pardon, but be proceeded against with the utmost Severity.

By His Majesty's Command,
THO. TOWNSHEND.

War-Office, May 8, 1782.

IT is His Majesty's Pleasure, That all absent Officers belonging to Regiments in England, do immediately join their respective Corps; those excepted

cepted who are employed on the Recruiting Service.

By His Majesty's Command,

THO. TOWNSHEND.

War-Office, May 18, 1782.

17*th Regiment of Light Dragoons*, Captain-Lieutenant John Stapleton is appointed to be Captain of a Troop, vice William Henry Talbot.

Ditto, Lieutenant Harry Nettles to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice John Stapleton.

3*d Regiment of Foot*, Enſign John Comerford to be Lieutenant, vice Malby Beckwith.

Ditto, Volunteer H. Gaſcoyne Schoen to be Enſign, vice John Comerford.

Ditto, Enſign William Sealey to be Lieutenant, vice William Caſement.

Ditto, Volunteer ——— Blair to be Enſign, vice William Sealey.

Ditto, James Muir, Hoſpital-Mate, to be Surgeon, vice William Morton.

16*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant George Sproule to be Captain of a Company, vice Anthony Forſter.

Ditto, Lieutenant Luke Home to be Captain-Lieute- vice George Sproule.

Ditto, Enſign Frederick C. White, from 64th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice James Innes.

19*th Regiment of Foot*, Major John Lloyd, from 3d Battalion of the 60th Regiment, to be Major, vice John Majoribanks.

Ditto, Enſign John Blomfield to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Hickman.

Ditto, Volunteer George Fuller to be Enſign, vice John Blomfield.

22*d Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant John Dumareſque to be Captain of a Company, vice Michael Seix.

Ditto, Enſign Dormer Vincent, from 33d Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice John Dumareſque.

Ditto, Enſign John Smith to be Lieutenant, vice William Abercrombie.

Ditto, Serjeant Henry Vennel to be Quarter-Maſter, vice William Abercrombie.

23*d Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer John M'Evers to be Second-Lieutenant, vice Stephen Guyon.

30*th Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer Edward Roberts to be Enſign, vice Charles Ruxton.

33*d Regiment of Foot*, Enſign John Kelly to be Lieutenant, vice George Ward.

Ditto, Captain-Lieutenant Anthony Salvin to be Captain of a Company, vice John Kerr.

Ditto, Lieutenant Honourable Charles William Curzon to be Captain Lieutenant, vice Anthony Salvin.

Ditto, Enſign John Hughes to be Lieutenant, vice Honourable Charles William Curzon.

Ditto, —— Coffin, Gent. to be Enſign, vice John Kelly.

37*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain James Graham, from 57th Regiment, to be Major, vice William Montgomerie.

40*th Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer Charles Symes to be Enſign, vice Archibald Willock.

Ditto, Serjeant-Major —— Urquhart to be Quarter-Maſter, vice William Barrett.

42*d Regimnt of Foot*, Lieutenant William Dickſon to be Captain of a Company, vice John Peebles.

Ditto, Enſign William Edmonſtone to be Lieutenant, vice William Dickſon.

43*d Regiment of Foot*, Captain-Lieutenant William Morris to be Captain of a Company, vice George Thompſon.

Ditto, Lieutenant James Loſack to be Captain-Lieutenant, vice William Morris.

Ditto, Enſign George Dennis to be Lieutenant, vice James Loſack.

Ditto, Enſign William Mackrill, from 64th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Charles May.

Ditto, Enſign Henry Proctor to be Lieutenant, vice John Watſinſon

Ditto, Captain George Hewett, from 70th Regiment, to be Major, vice David Ferguſon

Ditto, Enſign Thomas Scotland, from 40th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice David Roberts.

54*th Regiment of Foot*, Captain Anthony Forſter, from 16th Foot, to be Major, vice Edmond Eyre.

57*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant David Roberts, from 43d Regiment, to be Captain of a Company, vice James Graham.

60*th Regiment*, 3*d Battalion*, Captain-Lieutenant Mungo Noble to be Captain of a Company, vice Hans Carden.

Ditto, Lieutenant N. F. Lockell to Captain Lieutenant, vice Mungo Noble.

Ditto, Enſign George W Auguſtus Prevoſt to be Lieutenant, vice N. F. Lockell.

Ditto, Volunteer Frederick C. Diemar to be Enſign, vice George W. Auguſtus Prevoſt.

Ditto, Lieutenant Charles Ward to be Adjutant, vice James Gordon.

Ditto, Brevet-Major George Thompſon, from 43d Regiment, to be Major, vice John Lloyd.

63*d Regiment of Foot*, Captain Alexander Campbell, from 74th Regiment, to be Captain of a Company, vice Hayes St. Leger.

Ditto, Enſign ——— M'Leroth, from 64th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Dunn.

64*th Regiment of Foot*, ——— Walker, Gent. to be Enſign, vice William Mackrill.

Ditto, Lieutenant William Pringle, from Nova Scotia Volunteers, to be Enſign, vice George Laton.

Ditto, Volunteer William Smith to be Enſign, vice ——— M'Leroth.

Ditto, Enſign Mathew Wood to be Lieutenant, vice John Steadman.

Ditto, Volunteer James Smith to be Enſign, vice Mathew Wood.

Ditto, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edmond Eyre, from 54th Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Honourable Alexander Leſlie.

71*ſt Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer Thomas M'Phail to be Enſign, vice ——— Grant.

Ditto, Volunteer John Robertſon to be Enſign, vice Roderick M'Kenzie.

Ditto, Lieutenant James Innes, from 16th Foot, to be Captain of a Company, vice Harry Munro.

Ditto, Enſign James Sinclair, from 4th Battalion of 60th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Fraſer.

Ditto, Major David Ferguſon, from 43d Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Alexander M'Donald.

74*th Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer Neil M'Alpin, to be Enſign, vice Donald Campbell.

Ditto, Enſign Francis Kerr, from 40th Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Claud Hamilton.

76*th Regimnet of Foot*, Lieutenant John Shaw to be Captain of a Company, vice Charles Cameron.

Ditto, Enſign John Grant to be Lieutenant, vice John Shaw.

80*th Regiment of Foot*, Volunteer ——— Browne to be Enſign, vice George Cunningham.

82*d Regiment of Foot*, Major James Henry Craig to Lieutenant-Colonel, vice John Gunning.

Admiralty-Office, May 16, 1782.

HIS late Majeſty having been graciouſly pleaſed, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10*th Day of June*, 1733, *to eſtabliſh certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commiſſion and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: Theſe are to give Notice, that Copies of the ſaid Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Navy at Chatham, Portſmouth, and Plymouth; as alſo with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerneſs; and with the Naval Officers*

cers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places abovementioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Belson, at the Admiralty-Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the Widows of Sea-Officers who died before the 30th of August, 1732, as well as to the Widows of those who died since that Time, whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, such Monies as may be due to them on the 31st of May instant; This is to give Notice, that any Widows who have not yet applied, and intend to lay in their Claims, may do so as soon as possible; and that all such Widows, whose Claims have been already allowed, may send or bring to this Office, as soon as possible, the Affidavits required by the Rules, in order to their being continued upon the Pension or Bounty.

General Post-Office, May 4, 1782.

DANIEL Hughes standing charged on a violent Suspicion of being an Accessary after the Fact to a Felony committed by George and Joseph Weston, now in Custody for robbing the Bristol Mail, on the 29th of January, 1781, near Cranford Bridge in the County of Middlesex; Whoever will apprehend the said Daniel Hughes, or be the Means of his being apprehended, shall receive a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, to be paid on his Conviction.

The said Daniel Hughes is by Trade a Taylor, lately lived at No. 15, Leicester-street near Swallow-street, and from thence removed to Mrs. Taylor's, Titchfield-street; he is Brother to Luke otherwise Lucius Hughes, now under Sentence of Death in Newgate, is about Thirty Years old, Five Feet Four or Five Inches high, stout and well made, has a large Scar under One of his Jaws, wears his Hair, which is of a dark Colour, generally tied in a Queue, and lately kept a Lottery-Office near Charing-cross.

By Command of the Post-Master General,
Anth. Todd, Sec.

Office of Ordnance, May 3, 1782.

WHereas Shipping is wanted for Government Service; Notice is hereby given, that Proposals in Writing, sealed up, addressed to the Master-General of the Ordnance, and marked on the Outside, "Proposals for Shipping," will be opened in the Presence of such Persons who may offer Ships fit for the Service.

John Boddington

Office of Ordnance, May 6, 1782.

THE Master General and Principal Officers of His Majesty's Ordnance give Notice, That they will sell by public Auction at the Tower, on Thursday the 23d Instant, sundry Lots of Cartridges, Match, Tanned Hides, Sheep-skins, Tarpaulins, Hair Cloths, Harness, Brass, Copper and Iron Work for Fire Engines, Leather Hose, Lignum Vitæ Sheaves, Bedding, Drums, Trumpets, Colours, Lanthorns, Tin Canteens, Powder Horns, Standing Vices, Iron Gyn Blocks, Grates, &c. Hatchets, Axes, Spades, Shovels, White and Tarred Rope, Old Copper, Cast, Bushel, Lump, Hammered and Wrought Iron, and other old and unserviceable Stores, which may be viewed at the Tower till the Day of Sale, and printed Lists of the Lots will be delivered to such Persons as apply for the same.

By Order of the Board,
John Boddington.

Union Fire Office, March 13, 1782.

AT a Meeting of the Directors, by Virtue of a Power vested in them by the Deed of Settlement, Resolved and Ordered, That a Call of 10s. on every 100l. be made on each Member, according to the Sum insured in this Office on or before the 18th of January last, on which Day the Fire happened at Mr. Woodmason's, in Leadenhall-street, towards making good the very heavy Losses sustained by Fire within Two Years last past; of which every Member who was insured before that Time is desired to take Notice, and pay their respective Proportions to the Clerk, at the said Office,

Union Fire-Office, April 10, 1782.

The Board of Directors have this Day ordered, that the above Call be paid on or before the 31st of May next, in Default whereof all Insurances in the said Office will be void.

Signed, by Order the Board of Directors.
Charles Hartley, Clerk.

N. B. for the more ready Dispatch, each Member is desired to bring his Policy.

London, May 17, 1782.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Fox who were actually on Board at taking the Gruel, an American Prize, on the 4th of February, 1778, in Company with His Majesty's Ship Milford, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of One Eighth of the said Ship Gruel and the Whole of the Cargo, on Thursday the 6th Day of June next, at the French Horn, Crutched Friars; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place, the First Thursday in every Month, for Three Years to come.

James and David Webster, of London,
Agents to the Fox.

London, May 15, 1782.

NOtice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Milford, who were actually on Board at taking the Gruel, an American Prize, on the 4th of February, 1778, in Company with His Majesty's Ship Fox, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Produce of One Eighth of the said Ship Gruel and the Whole of the Cargo, on Thursday the 6th Day of June next, at the French Horn in Crutched friars; and the Shares not then demanded will be recalled at the same Place the First Thursday in every Month for Three Years to come.

Oliver Toulmin, of London,
Agent to the Milford.

LOST out of a Letter put into the Post-Office at Exeter, A Bill (the first) of Exchange, drawn by Gooch and Noble on Ann Graham, London, and payable to William Gonne, or Order, dated Lisbon, March 23, at Thirty Days Sight. Whoever has found the same, and will bring it to Mr. Wilson, No. 7, Aldermanbury, will be handsomely rewarded. Acceptance is stopt.

Bolton, May 16, 1782.

ALL Persons who stand indebted to the Estate of James Thweat, late of Bolton in the Moors in the County of Lancaster, Cotton-manufacturer, deceased, are required forthwith to pay their respective Debts to us, whose Names are hereunto subscribed, being the Executors of the said James Thweat's Will. Payments made to any other Person or Persons, other than to us the said Executors, or to whom we shall appoint, will be disallowed, and the Persons making the same will be obliged to pay their respective Debts over again. Witness our Hands,

Rich. Aspindel.
Peter Rothwell, junior.
John Browne.

TO be resold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, made in a certain Cause, Bracebridge against Whitgreave, dated the 13th Day of May, 1782, before Edward Montagu, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court,

&c

his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, Part of the Eſtate late of Francis Kempſon, deceaſed, conſiſting of a Tenement and Lands called Boydens, in Great Sardon in the County of Stafford; and a Moiety of Water Corn-Mills called Deep Moor Mills, and of the Lands thereto belonging, ſituate in Little Sardon in the ſaid County. Particulars whereof may be had gratis at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Alexander Thomſon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's inn, Chancery-lane, London, on Friday the 7th Day of June next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, in One Lot, Several Meſſuages, Farms, Lands and Premiſſes, late the Eſtate of the Right Hon. Thomas Lord Archer, deceaſed, ſituate at Pirgo near Romford in the County of Eſſex, now let to ſeveral Tenants, at ſeveral yearly Rents, amounting together to the Sum of 338l. or thereabouts. Particulars whereof may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Chambers.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, made in a Cauſe Morgan and others againſt Foulkes and others, the Creditors of Ann Foulkes, the Wife of John Foulkes, late Ann Williams) of Pant yr Onn in the Pariſh of Llanlidan in the County of Denbigh, are to come in and prove their Debts before Alexander Thomſon, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 19th Day of June next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 27th Day of July, 1781, made in a Cauſe Sadleir againſt Bentinck, the unſatisfied Creditors (if any) of John Albert Bentinck, late of Privy Garden within the Liberty of Weſtminſter in the County of Middleſex, Eſq; deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's inn, Chancery-lane, London, or in Default thereof they will be excluded all Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Elizabeth Lutwyche, late of Lower Groſvenor-ſtreet in the County of Middleſex, Spinſter, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts and claim their Legacies reſpectively before John Eame, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 19th Day of June next, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, bearing Date the 27th of June, 1777, made in a Cauſe, Hart againſt Coſens, the unſatisfied Creditors (if any) of Percival Hart, late of Old Brentford in the County of Middleſex, Malt-diſtiller, deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before Edward Montagu, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's inn, Chancery-lane, London, on or before the 21ſt Day of June next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

PUrſuant to a Decree of His Majeſty's Court of Exchequer at Weſtminſter, the Creditors of Robert Maſon, late of Kenſington in the County of Middleſex, Gentleman, deceaſed, are forthwith to come in and prove their Debts before Francis Ingram, Eſq; Deputy Remembrancer of the ſaid Court, at the Exchequer Office in the Inner Temple, London, on or before the 8th Day of June next, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

Worceſter, May 4, 1782.

A Dividend of the Amount of the Eſtate and Effects of John Craig, late of Clainet in this County, will be made on Tueſday the 28th Inſtant, by Richard Bury, one of the Truſtees to the ſaid Eſtate. Thoſe Creditors who have omitted to ſend in a State of their Claims are deſired to deliver them immediately.

THE Creditors of Sir George Colebrooke (Bankrupt) are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday the 29th Day of May inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Stock Exchange Coffee-Houſe in Threadneedle-Street, for the Purpoſe of conſidering a Compromiſe propoſed with Sir George Colebrooke's Family reſpecting the Office of Chirographer, and a Debt by heritable Bond upon the Scotch Eſtate.

THE Creditors of Henry Elliſon, late of Whitehaven in the County of Cumberland, Merchant, (a Bankrupt) are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday the 5th of June next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the King's Arms, in Lowther-ſtreet, Whitehaven, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits in Law or Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration or the Opinion of Council, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relative thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors of John Pearſon, of Lowhouſe in the Pariſh of Egremont in the County of Cumberland, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Wedneſday the 5th of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the King's Arms Inn, in Egremont in the ſaid County, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the proſecuting or defending one or more Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to the compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or the Opinion of Council, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Leonard Newbank, of Fore-ſtreet, London, Butcher, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday next, the 24th Day of May inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, at the Houſe of Mr. Clarke, the White Hart, at Cripplegate, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from their commencing, proſecuting or defending, any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded againſt Thomas Gill, of Pontefract in the County of York, Linnen-draper, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of his Eſtate and Effects, on the 11th of June next, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of William Lodge, the Red Lion, in Pontefract aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating thereto; and on other ſpecial Affairs. And Notice is hereby further given, That the Commiſſioners named in the ſaid Commiſſion, intend to meet on the Day and at the Place aforeſaid, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Claims not then proved will be diſallowed.

Notice to the Creditors of John Clay, Tenant in Weſtfield of Ayton.

UPON the Application of the ſaid John Clay, the Lord Alva, Ordinary on the Bills, ſequeſtrated his whole Perſonal Eſtate, on the 5th of April laſt; and Lord Gardenſton, Ordinary, on the 26th of the ſame Month, appointed Adam Watſon, Writer in Dunſe, Factor thereon, and ordered the Creditors to meet in the Houſe of George Hall, Vintner at Preſs, on Wedneſday the 29th of May inſtant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, in order to continue the ſaid Factor, or chuſe another, or a Truſtee or Truſtees, in his Place.

Adam Watſon.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued againſt Joſeph Robertſon, late of Nicholas-lane, London, Inſurance-broker, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 30th Day of May inſtant, on the 15th Day of June next, and on the 2d Day of July following, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on each Day, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Harborne, Amen-corner, Pater-noſter-row.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Simon Shearman, late of Whitecroſs-ſtreet in the Pariſh of St. Giles Cripplegate in the County of Middleſex, Victualler, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 24th Day of May inſtant, at Six o'Clock in the Afternoon, on the 31ſt Day of the ſame Month, and on the 2d Day of July next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared

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